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VOLTAGE REGULATION IN HIGH-VOLTAGE POWER SUPPLIES

Voltage regulated d. c. power supplies, and the principles of voltage regulation, are now so commonplace as to be well-known to electronic technicians in all categories. Most ordinary experience with stabilized power supplies, however, is in the range between 200 and 500 volts. Few technicians have had occasion to extend their thinking to include the regulation of high d. c. potentials. There accordingly is some question as to what course to take when the problem of how to regulate a high-voltage d. c. power supply arises.

Actually, the circuits for high-voltage regulation differ from those employed at low voltages only in the size (and sometimes the number) of components. It is comparatively easy to stabilize high potentials, and the obvious advantages of a steady output voltage should not be overlooked in the design of high-voltage power supplies. Several common circuits are available and will prove effective. The one selected for use will be governed by individual requirements as to voltage output, percent regulation desired, output current, and required simplicity.

Among the better-known circuits is the conventional electronic voltage regulator shown in Figure 1. This circuit has been adapted for high voltage by

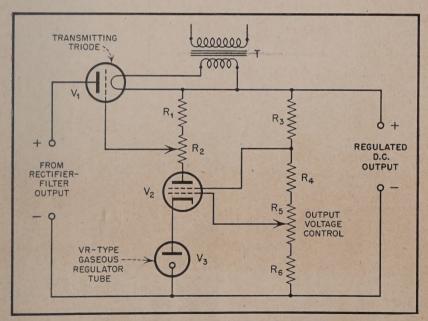


Fig. 1. Electronic H.V. Regulator.

employing a high-voltage triode at V_1 and by properly proportioning resistors R_1 to R_6 .

Operation of this circuit is explained in the following manner: The entire output current passing from the rectifier-filter circuit to the external load must pass through V1. This tube is made to act like a variable resistor by varying the d. c. bias voltage applied to its control grid. If the grid is made more negative, the output current is decreased; if more positive (less negative), the output current increases. If the grid bias of V, can be made to vary in proportion, but in opposite direction to output voltage variations, then the variations effectively can be cancelled out. This action is exactly what is accomplished through the medium of V2.

For illustration, consider an increase in output voltage across the two REG-ULATED D. C. OUTPUT terminals. The voltage at the control grid of V2 rises in proportion. This increase in positive bias causes V2 to draw more plate current through resistors R1 and R2 in series, thereby making the grid of V, more negative. The increased negative bias reduces the current passing through V1 and consequently reduces the voltage at the REGULATED D. C. OUTPUT terminals. The opposite effects take place when the d. c. output voltage decreases. The net result is to iron out automatically variations in the output voltage.

Triode V₁ must be rated to withstand the high plate-to-cathode voltage which will be encountered in a high-voltage power supply. This calls for a transmitting-type tube. Most transmitting tubes have filament-type cathodes, necessitating use of a filament transformer, T. This latter component must be insulated to withstand the applied d. c. voltage. Tube V₂ also should be rated to withstand a higher value of plate-to-cathode voltage than is common to the small pentodes used in this position in low-voltage regulated power

supplies. Types 6L6 and 807 are satisfactory.

Resistors R, and R, must be selected so that the resistance of the two in series will limit the plate current of V, to the maximum safe operating value specified by the tube manufacturer. R. is made variable, in order to adjust the initial bias voltage on V, to a value which will give the desired degree of output-voltage regulation. The total resistance of the string including R, to Ra must be high enough to limit the bleeder current to a few milliamperes. The ratio of these resistors must be chosen to give the rated screen voltage for V₂ at the junction of R₃ and R₄. Potentiometer R₅ permits adjustment of the output voltage over a range of regulated d. c. values. R4 and R6 limit the range of this potentiometer. V₃ is a gaseous-type regulator tube (OC3 or OD3) used as a voltage reference device to cathode-bias V.

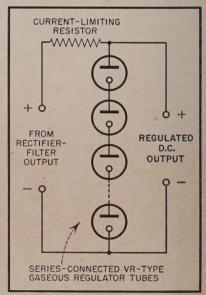


Fig. 2. Series-Connected Gaseous-Tube H.V. Regulator.

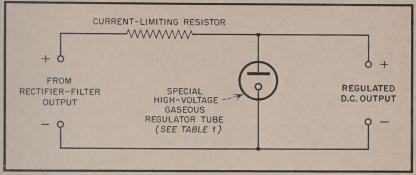


Fig. 3. Single Gaseous-Tube H.V. Regulator.

The electronic regulator will stabilize d. c. output voltages up to several kilovolts. For higher output currents than the maximum safe operating current of V₁, several similar triodes may be connected in parallel. Regulation can be obtained as close as 1 percent.

Figure 2 shows a simpler high-voltage regulator circuit employing a string of series-connected gaseous regulator tubes. Either OC3 (105 v.) or OD3 (150 v.) tubes may be used. The sum of the voltage drops across individual regulator tubes must equal the desired regulated output voltage. For example, 10 Type OD3 tubes would be used for 1500 volts; 10 OC3 tubes for 1050 v. Some designers favor the connection of a 0.5-megohm resistor across each tube in the series string.

The rectifier-filter d. c. output vol-

tage must be at least 1.3 times the total voltage of the regulator-tube string, in order initially to fire the tubes. The current-limiting resistor must be proportioned to pass 40 milliamperes through the tubes in the absence of any external loading. Expected regulation provided by this circuit is of the order of 5 percent. Output current variations can fluctuate between zero and 35 milliamperes.

When lower values of output current are required, special single regulator tubes are available for use in the circuit given in Figure 3. This circuit is similar in action to the one shown in Figure 2, and will be recognized as the basic gaseous-tube regulator circuit. Table 1 lists operating characteristics of special regulator tubes useful in the circuit of Figure 3. These tubes

TABLE I.

Туре	Min. Starting Voltage Supply (approx.)	Operating Voltage (approx.)	Min. Operating Current (m.a.)	Max. Operating Current (m.a.)	Max. Regulation (volts)
CK1017	800	700	0.005	0.055	20
CK1022	1100	1000	0.005	0.055	20
CK5962	730	700	0.002	0.055	. 15

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are invaluable for the simple regulation of high-voltage, low-current devices such as Geiger counters.

Two greatly simplified and compact regulators are shown in Figure 4. These circuits utilize the non-linear conduction properties of Thyrite resistors (a General Electric product) marked T in the diagrams. The characteristic curve of a Thyrite resistor is such that the voltage drop across the resistor changes only slightly although current passing through the resistor changes many times. A regulated voltage accordingly may be taken from across a Thyrite resistor in series with a conventional resistor (See Figure 4A), while the supply voltage may be fluctuating. Regulation percentage increases when the Thyrite current is large as compared with the load current.

A Thyrite bridge is shown in Figure

4(B). In this circuit: as the rectifierfilter output (bridge input) voltage increases, the bridge output voltage also increases up to a maximum value. If the input voltage is increased beyond this point, the output voltage will return to zero. If the input voltage is increased still further, the output voltage will increase to a maximum value in the opposite direction (output polarity change). If the bridge is operated near the first maximum, good output-voltage regulation will be obtained in the presence of rather wide supply voltage variations. A slight disadvantage of the bridge is the fact that it will not permit a common input and output ground connection.

From the foregoing explanation, it is seen that the Thyrite type of high-voltage regulator is a more effective stabilizer of supply-voltage variations than of load fluctuations.

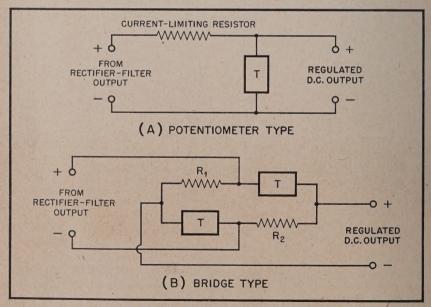


Fig. 4. Thyrite H.V. Regulators.

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ERRATUM

Subject: "SUPERSENSITIVE SIGNAL TRACER FOR RADIO & TV" February, 1952, issue of "The Capacitor"

Circuit diagram, Page 5 — A 0.1 ufd. capacitor should be inserted between jack J_2 and the junction of C_5 and R_7 . This capacitor was omitted from the circuit diagram. This capcitor will serve to prevent the application of d.c. voltage on the grid of the 6C4 tube when checking signals at d.c. points.

The Editor.

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